

108TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

**S. 643**

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**AMENDMENT**



# ***In the House of Representatives, U. S.,***

*September 28, 2004.*

*Resolved*, That the bill from the Senate (S. 643) entitled “An Act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior, in cooperation with the University of New Mexico, to construct and occupy a portion of the Hibben Center for Archaeological Research at the University of New Mexico, and for other purposes”, do pass with the following

## **AMENDMENT:**

Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert:

1 ***SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.***

2 *This Act may be cited as the “Hibben Center Act”.*

3 ***SEC. 2. LEASE AGREEMENT.***

4 *(a) AUTHORIZATION.—The Secretary of the Interior*  
5 *may enter into an agreement with the University of New*  
6 *Mexico to lease space in the Hibben Center for Archae-*  
7 *ological Research at the University of New Mexico for re-*  
8 *search on, and curation of, the archaeological research col-*  
9 *lections of the National Park Service relating to the Chaco*  
10 *Culture National Historical Park and Aztec Ruins Na-*  
11 *tional Monument.*

1       (b) *TERM; RENT.*—*The lease shall provide for a term*  
 2 *not exceeding 40 years and a nominal annual lease pay-*  
 3 *ment.*

4       (c) *IMPROVEMENTS.*—*The lease shall permit the Sec-*  
 5 *retary to make improvements and install furnishings and*  
 6 *fixtures related to the use and curation of the collections.*

7   **SEC. 3. GRANT.**

8       *Upon execution of the lease, the Secretary may con-*  
 9 *tribute to the University of New Mexico:*

10           (1) *up to 37 percent of the cost of construction*  
 11       *of the Hibben Center, not to exceed \$1,750,000; and*

12           (2) *the cost of improvements, not to exceed*  
 13       *\$2,488,000.*

14   **SEC. 4. COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT.**

15       *The Secretary may enter into cooperative agreements*  
 16 *with the University of New Mexico, Federal agencies, and*  
 17 *Indian tribes for the curation of and conduct of research*  
 18 *on artifacts, and to encourage collaborative management of*  
 19 *the Chacoan archaeological artifacts associated with north-*  
 20 *western New Mexico.*

1 **SEC. 5. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

2       *There are authorized to be appropriated to the Sec-*  
3 *retary such sums as may be necessary for the purposes of*  
4 *this Act.*

Attest:

*Clerk.*